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Malden's school enrollment tops
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the city's history this year. The
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744 CASUALTIES IN TWO LISTS

Forty-Nine New England Men's Names; Capt. Otto
Steinberger of Newton Wounded Severely.

Washington, Sept. 6.—There are only
forty-nine New England names out
of 744 on the two army-casualty lists
issued today. The majority of these,
however, are from Massachusetts.
There are forty-three officers named
on the lists, which are divided as follows:
Killed in action, 117; missing in
action, 137; wounded severely, 233;
died of wounds, twenty-six; died
from accident, six; died of disease,
six; wounded, degree undetermined,
254.
The officers on the lists are:
OFFICERS.
KILLED IN ACTION.
LIEUTENANTS
Harry E. Bissett, Chicago.
James F. Harris, St. Louis.
WOUNDED SEVERELY.
Captains
R. M. Wilson, Savannah, Ga.
C. L. Lewis, Worcester, Mass.
Lieutenant
Charles Steinberger, Newton.
LIEUTENANTS
Thomas V. Barb, Barren, Md.
William G. Finch, Edmore, Mich.
Duncan Fraser, New York.
Albert B. Halsey, Bowling Green,
Ky.
George T. Phelps, Evansville,
Ind.
Ralph C. Lakin, Bangor, Me.
Frank A. Smith, North Ferrisburgh,
N. Y.
Richard D. White, Charleston, S. C.
Edward T. Erickson, Livingston,
Mass.
Wesley Louis Jordan, Ontario, Wis.
William W. Dodge, Washington, D. C.
Charles A. Paul, Alma, Mich.
Harry H. Haynes, Vernon, O.
Grover C. Holdenfels, Beaville, Tex.
Hugh H. Hudson, Wilmington, O.
William H. McWhorter, Weymouth, Pa.
Harold Clinton Perry, Wilmington, N. C.
Norman Henry Pringle, Mass.
Frederick W. Roth, Pittsburgh.
James Whelan, Tucson, Ariz.
WOUNDED (DEGREE UNDETERMINED).
CAPTAINS
William F. Freshford, St. Louis.
Robert W. Padden, Chicago.
Claude W. Shelton, Hubbard, Tex.
LIEUTENANTS
George B. Hardesty, Jr., Pitts-
burgh, Ill.

U. S. Casualties to Date

Previously Reported
Killed in action, 4,312 26 4,338
Died of disease, 1,071 10 1,081
Died from other causes, 1,336 26 1,362
Wounded severely, 1,977 2 1,979
Wounded, degree undetermined, 1,372 517 1,889
Army totals, 10,815 744 11,559
Marine totals, 3,808 9 3,817
Grand totals, 14,623 753 15,376

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Delmar F. Borah, Rutland.
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Barney Russell, Burlington.
CONNECTICUT
DIED OF WOUNDS.
PRIVATE
Edolph Ekhart, New Britain.
WOUNDED SEVERELY.
CORPORAL
Kenneth T. Church, South Meriden.
PRIVATE
John F. Cashman, Waterbury.
Joseph Bacher, Hartford.
Frederick B. Clark, Waterbury.
WOUNDED (DEGREE UNDETERMINED).
CORPORAL
Matthew Michaels, Margaria, Bridgeport.
MISSING IN ACTION.
PRIVATE
Dennis Black, Waterbury.
RHODE ISLAND
WOUNDED (DEGREE UNDETERMINED).
CORPORAL
Payette Earl Goodier, Providence.
PRIVATE
Joseph C. Nahan, Newport.
MISSING IN ACTION.
PRIVATE
Eugenio Iannetta, Providence.

Help The Floating Hospital Save Babies' Lives

It began its work at the usual time, June 27th, and is still running. Severe changes of hot and cold weather have caused unusually serious cases of summer complaints among little children.

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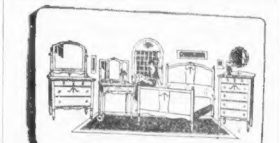
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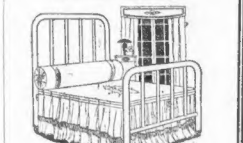
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Any man who has planned to get a suit this FALL OR WIN-
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Honor the Memory of the Framers of the Constitution by Modernizing Their Work

ONE of the unfounded suggestions of the organized opponents
of the Initiative and Referendum is that its advocates fail
to appreciate the high ideals and the great achievements of the
framers of the Constitution.

This is what Professor Lewis J. Johnson of Harvard Uni-
versity, for many years a leader in the agitation for this great
reform, has to say on this point:

"Our fathers founded this government in order to secure
for ALL the people the blessings of life, liberty and happiness.
They devised institutions and governmental machinery which,
UNDER THE CONDITIONS OF THEIR DAY, were well
adapted to that end, but during the century and a quarter that
have since elapsed COMBINATIONS OF POWER HAVE
GROWN UP WHICH THEY COULD NOT POSSIBLY FORE-
SEE, and these combinations have controlled the machinery
which they devised to USES OF WHICH NO ONE WOULD BE
MORE IMPATIENT, THAN OUR REVOLUTIONARY FORE-
FATHERS, and no one more resolute in seeking a remedy. In
their spirit and purposes we find nothing to criticize, even after
all this time. But in the legislative mechanism which they set
up WE FIND THE FUNDAMENTAL DEFECT OF A COM-
PLETE LACK OF POPULAR CONTROL OF RESULTS.
HONOR TO THEIR MEMORY REQUIRES US TO CORRECT
THIS DEFECT AND MODERNIZE THEIR WORK JUST AS
THEY MODERNIZED THEIR INHERITED INSTITUTIONS."

This is what the great Constitutional Convention, just dis-
solved, has accomplished by RECOMMENDING TO THE PEOPLE
AFTER EXHAUSTIVE HEARINGS AND LARGE AND
THOROUGH DEBATE, a carefully guarded Initiative and Referen-
dum amendment. It is the one great reform needed TO
MAKE GOVERNMENT OF, BY AND FOR THE PEOPLE
SAFE IN MASSACHUSETTS. DO NOT FAIL TO VOTE
to ratify it at the State election in November.

WRECKED SHIP'S CREW SAVED BY BREECHES BUOY

Portland, Me., Sept. 6.—Captain J. L. Hutchins and his crew of two men
were rescued with a breeches buoy
by the Cape Elizabeth Coast Guard
crew early today, after the two-
masted schooner Herman F. Kimball
of Boston piled upon the jagged
rocks of Trundy Reef. Captain
Hutchins and his two men were saved
by the breeches buoy only after three
shots had been fired over the bow of
the stranded vessel. The schooner,
which was lumber laden, is a total
loss.

CURCI, IN TEARS, TELLS HOW HE LOST WIFE

New York, Sept. 6.—How a manager
and an accompanist, struggling into his
lives, and tempted his love away from
him was tearfully described by Luigi
Curci, the painter, using Charles L.
Wagner, manager, and Homer Banham,
accompanist, for \$250,000 for alienat-
ing the affections of his wife, Amelia
Gulcher, the opera singer.
Their married life until November,
1915, might have been in Paradise. It
was "the very pesty of matrimony," ac-
cording to the painter. "I had given
her my name, the name of one of the
oldest and best families in the king-
dom. I gave my income to her suc-
cess, and borrowed from my family that
I might aid her career."

"Sennaro, my brother, a singer and
pianist, caught my enthusiasm and
threw himself wholeheartedly into
the work of aiding her success. Her goal
was our goal. We gave every moment
to her career. Amelia's great success
here last winter was the realization of
my lifelong dream."
"But the dream had hardly come true
when Wagner and Banham came into
our lives, with the premeditated pur-
pose of rearing the fruits of the decade
of labor of my brother, Madame and
myself. Banham made love to my wife.
I had to order him from my home in
the Catalina on the Pacific coast. He
and Madame went with him."

The artist related the story that the
cause of the domestic infidelity was his
failure to obey his wife's plea to take
out citizenship papers, so she has
claimed. He said she is a poor patriot
and has become unpopular in Italy for
that reason.

Manager Wagner said the case was
merely that of an artist's husband in-
ferior in her performance in the opera.
Gulcher, residing in the Catalina,
said nothing.

DRAFT TOOTH PASSES: BEWARE! YE DENTISTS

New York, Sept. 6.—The draft
tooth will be decidedly out of style
after September 12. The Prepara-
tory League of American Dentists is
doing all it can to pull the disreputa-
ble dentist out of the profession by
the roots, and has launched a
campaign against those of their fel-
lows who have added slackers in be-
coming dentally unfit for service. The
campaign is being conducted by the
dentists' league with the co-operation
of the Department of Justice.
Circular letters have been sent to
dentists in every part of the country,
warning them of the penalty if any
is detected extracting teeth for pro-
spective slackers.

FACE COVERED WITH PIMPLES

For Three Months. Itched and
Burned Awful. Cuticura Healed.

"For three months my face was
covered with pimples so that I was
ashamed to go anywhere. The pim-
ples were red, hard, and very itchy,
and after awhile they all scaled over.
They itched and burned something
awful."

"A friend told me about Cuticura
Soap and Ointment, and I began to use
them. After five days my face began
to feel better. I kept right on, and I used
three cakes of Cuticura Soap with two
boxes of Cuticura Ointment when I
was all healed." (Signed) Miss Bertha
La Valle, 5 Chapel St., Cherry Valley,
Mass., March 29, 1918.

Improve your complexion by using
Cuticura Soap daily and Cuticura Oin-
tment as needed to prevent pimples,
blackheads or other eruptions.
(Signed) Miss Mary E. Smith, 100 West
Main St., New York City, Sept. 1, 1918.

DECLARE WASTE OF GASOLINE MUST STOP

The United States Fuel Adminis-
tration, oil division, of Washington,
issues the following:
"Unless the wasteful methods in
the handling and use of gasoline are
at once corrected, it will undoubtedly
be necessary for the government to
control the distribution and use
made of gasoline. Automobiles
would then be made to conform to
the more severe control and, there-
fore, it is to the automobile that
we must go with a campaign of edu-

action that will point out to all users
of oil and gasoline that wasteful
usage must be stopped.
"Motorists should not run their en-
gines when the car is not in motion.
They should avoid overfilling tanks
and see that no oil or gasoline is
spilled or allowed to leak. Carbu-
retors should be adjusted to operate on
the thinnest mixture. All unneces-
sary driving should be discouraged.
"If sufficient gasoline and oil can-
not be saved from what is now waste-
d in the ways above suggested, then
such mandatory control as will as-

sure the quantities needed for the
conduct of the war will be inevit-
able."

Rest assured—

Faultless
Night Shirts
"The Nightwear
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RAYMOND'S CLOTHING

We published the following notice June 27:

"And now just at this time when goods are scarce we propose to let our
customers and friends have some bargains which will not be seen again for a
long time, but don't buy one piece of these goods unless you actually need it,
and don't buy any more than you need for present use; give the other fellow
a chance. There is plenty of merchandise for everyone for all time if the
greedy ducks don't grab it!"

It is not only amusing, but highly flattering, to note some of the proud-
stores imitating this and trying to get on to the Bandwagon. Very often
now you see similar remarks. Good. It's what everyone should do,
even if a little late and stolen thunder.

OVERCOATS

Which have been packed away from stores sold out to Raymond's during
the Spring and Summer. Webster, Eastport, Springfield, Leominster
and others.

Lot Winter Overcoats	\$10.00
Lot Winter Overcoats	\$12.00
Lot Fall and Winter Overcoats	\$15.00
Lot Winter Overcoats	\$18.00
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Lot Men's Suits	\$13.75
Lot Men's Suits	\$15.00
Lot Men's Suits	\$16.50
Lot Men's Suits	\$18.00

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Lot of Boys' School Suits, well made, dark gray mixtures, 8 to 17 yrs.	\$6.50
Lot of Boys' Junior Suits, gray and brown tweeds and blue velvets, 3 to 8 yrs.	\$4.50

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More Boys' Blouses, 6 to 14 yrs. 45c

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More Boys' Strong Pants. This lot made last year, 7 to
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Men's High and Low Shoes, all sizes	\$2.00
Men's U. S. Army Shoes, Munson lasts, all sizes	\$3.50
Men's White Canvas Lace, high or low. All sizes	\$1.50
Men's Heavy Working Shoes. Tan or black. All sizes	\$2.95
Boys', Misses' and Growing Girls' School Shoes. All sizes	\$1.50
Women's White Canvas Button Shoes, 2 1/2 to 6	\$1.00

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Men's Shirts	50c
More 75c, 85c, \$1.00, \$1.50	
More 10c Collars. All one style, but all sizes, per doz.	\$1.00
Second shipment of the Unbleached Sheeting, 38 and 40 inches wide. Per yard	15c

Ladies' Velour Hats, gray or black, made to sell for \$5.00 **\$1.95**
Ladies' White Dress Skirts, slightly soiled, made of plique,
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Lot School Bags, split leather, not paper **\$2.45**

Lot Golf Balls
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Laces
and Metal Edge; value 70c;
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1944

REV. JOHN E. KILLION IS
BACK FROM PHILIPPINES

The Rev. John E. Killion, secretary to Bishop Foley of the Philippines, has returned to Malden after

an absence of thirty months from his home city. He reported today to Cardinal O'Connell.
Fr. Killion has three brothers in the service, two of whom are captains and one a lieutenant.

RAYMOND'S



TIME TO CHANGE FOR THESE

DEBATES PLAY IS GERMAN PROPAGANDA

By FRED J. McISAAC.

A merry young controversy is being around "friendly enemies" in which Lew Fields is starting at the Plymouth Theatre.

Despite the enforcement of President Wilson, the approving patronage of generals and admirals and any number of officers in national service, certain people insist that the piece is pro-German, "sugar-coated propaganda," one actor critic calls it.

The objections are pointed particularly to certain speeches by Lew Fields in which he defends Germany and argues with his son against fighting for America.

After the matinee yesterday I had a chat with Lew Fields, who is an American actor of the highest standing and the father of three sons in the service of the United States.

BELIEVES HE IS DOING GOOD.

"How do you feel about playing the role of Karl Pfeiffer, a German lover, when you are personally so strongly American?"

"I'll tell you," said Mr. Fields, who sheds his German accent with his stage costume. "I play this part because I believe it is doing good. If I make statements which favor the German, it is so that the Americans in the east can overthrow them, which they always do. I am endeavoring in my small way to ridicule the Americans of German birth who will cling to their faith in the Fatherland."

Karl Pfeiffer in the play is a mild-mannered old fellow who remembers Germany as he left it forty years ago, a cheerful country split into small states and not in the least aggressive. He doesn't know what has happened over there since he left it, and he won't believe it when you tell him.

"Of course it goes against me to make speeches in favor of the Kaiser. I feel queer when saying them, but in the third act when I turn against the Kaiser forever I enjoy myself thoroughly."

HUMAN NATURE THE SAME.

I don't know whether you could ever convince a man like Karl by reasoning with him, but when his own flesh and blood are threatened by treachery, then you have him.

I think I know exactly how that old fellow feels when he learns that his son has been killed, and that his money helped to do it. I know how I would feel if any of my boys were killed, and human nature is always the same. I can quite understand that the scales will fall off his eyes and he will range himself with America for the rest of his life.

"What I hope is that the play will convince German-Americans that they are mistaken in not sticking by this country, and I assure you that New York and Chicago, where there are big German populations, are turning out in large numbers and they appear to be greatly impressed by the final act."

Let me assure you that nobody in this company or in any other company of "Friendly Enemies" would play the piece for a minute if we didn't believe that it is a fine wholesome play teaching the purest kind of Americanism.

MOTOR TRUCK MEN

FORM AN ASSOCIATION

By C. F. DONNOCKER.

The possibilities of the motor trucking industry have so appealed to some well-known New York business men that the Inter-State Motor Trucking Association was formed in New York recently to further develop and extend the scope of motor truck transportation over regular long distance freight and express routes. The limit of this new method of handling freight and express is practically unknown.

The organization will give thorough study to the many problems which now confront the merchant such as the building of motor transportation terminals in each city, federal license which is valid in all states, a study of the problem of rural transportation between farms and cities, etc., and to do all in its power to co-operate with the Government to win the war.

The following men are at present serving in executive capacities:

The president, Ramon V. Williams, has for over a generation been known in America and foreign countries in the express and forwarding business. He is the president of Williams Shipping Agency at No. 24 Stone street.

The vice-president, O. E. Heckman, is president of one of the longest motor truck routes in the world, operating a regular motor freight and transportation route that runs between New York and Wilmington, Del., and as far West as Wilkes-Barre and Allentown.

The treasurer, Ernst Wademan, is connected with the Anderson Trucking & Warehousing Co., Inc., at No. 16 Washington street.

The secretary is an attorney with office in the Woolworth Building. He is well known in connection with the development of large industrial business enterprises. The permanent office will be located at a meeting to be held at the Fred Room in Haas's Restaurant, No. 21 Park Row, New York, at which time the plan and scope of the organization will be definitely determined.

TALK OF HEROS' DAY IS

HEARD IN EVERY HOME

Heros' Day, when Boston will do homage to its soldier and sailor dead is now practically an accomplished fact although Mayor Andrew J. Peters has not yet prepared his proclamation setting the actual day for the celebration.

In the few weeks since the idea was first broached it has taken hold on popular fancy until the subject is common talk in every home which boasts a service flag (and few do not), and especially in those homes whose flag proudly although sadly bears a star of gold.

In all probability one of the principal features of the Heros' Day exercises will be a public demonstration of honor to the mothers of those who have paid the supreme price for their country. What form this recognition of the mothers will take is a matter which will probably have to be taken up by the committee which the mayor will undoubtedly appoint to arrange the program, but that it should be something impressive and lasting in its effect is sacred by everybody.



What's the right thing to do about buying clothes?

You're glad to do the right thing, when you know what it is; we all feel the same way. You are told that it's important that business shall go on; also that unnecessary consumption takes labor and material from war work. What's the patriotic thing to do?

YOU as a wearer of clothes, and we as makers ought to save on clothes in every way possible. The less you consume the more labor and material are left for our fighting forces.

That's why we urge men not to buy clothes, if they have enough; some have plenty.

That's why we say, "take care of your clothes; make them last longer."

That's why we say, "if you feel that you must have new clothes, get good clothes." American money should be spent for goods that save by lasting service.

Real economy in clothes is measured by the number of days' service given for each dollar of cost; buy on that basis.

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When you need clothes we'll help you
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I. W. W. MEN IN CAMP GET 25 YEARS IN PRISON

Camp Grant, Ill., Sept. 6.—Roy Wilcox and Roy Dempsey, I. W. W. agitators and conscientious objectors, tried here June 20 by court martial

on charges of disobedience or orders for the purpose of evading military service and refusing to wear the uniform, must serve twenty-five years in the federal penitentiary at Fort Leavenworth, according to information received here from Washington.

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EXPECT 45,000 AT MILITARY STADIUM FETE

Everything is in readiness for War Service Day tomorrow. Even the Weather Man has come forward with the statement that Saturday will be a fine day. It is estimated that more than 45,000 persons, civilians and men in the service, will witness the great army and navy demonstration arranged by the War Camp Community Service Committee. Here is the program:

The time: 9 p. m.

The place: Harvard Stadium.

The event: Battle of Bugles, exhibition drill by men from the Har-

vard Radio School, singing by choruses of 10,000 service men, 1,000-yard race for men in uniform, equipment race between marines and soldiers, tug-of-war, push-ball game, chariot race with 1,000 men, relay race, trench fight, aviation exhibitions and rough riding.

All present will face Major-General William Crozier, while the band plays the national anthem and the flag is lowered at the conclusion of the ceremonies.

CONFERENCE MONDAY

OF DEFENCE WOMEN

The September conference of the Massachusetts Women's Committee, Council of National Defense, will be held next Monday at 2:30 o'clock in the lower auditorium, east wing of the State House. Mrs. Nathaniel Thayer, chairman of the Massachusetts Council, will preside, and the list of speakers includes many prominent authorities on food conservation, among whom are Dr. James Austin Kilham, Professor C. Frank Allen, Miss Helen Wood, Mrs. Frank Allen and Mrs. E. B. Cole. There will be reports read at this meeting. The public are invited to attend.

1,000 LIMITED SERVICE MEN GO TO CAMP

More than a thousand draftees of Class 1, Group C, left today on special trains for a New York camp for "special limited military service."

Today's quota included 412 men from Boston proper. The remainder were from suburban cities and towns. Two thousand men in all went from Massachusetts.

Today's departure was marked by the customary fireworks and cheers from thousands of admiring relatives and friends who gathered to bid the boys good-bye.

The men included those Class 1 draftees who for some slight physical defect were rejected from front line trench fighting. They will be trained instead as mechanics, engineers and general utility men behind the lines.

MEN GET MILITARY KITS

In Salem eighteen draftees, in company with sixteen men from Peabody and Danvers, were escorted to the train by Mayor Sullivan and members of the City Council. The draftees were here distributed refreshments and military kits to the ground.

A parade through the principal business street featured the departure in Lynde of the Legion quota of fifty-seven draftees. At Lynn City Hall the men were addressed by Mayor Walter H. Crane and a program of band music was given. Numerous material sweaters and bed kits were distributed to each draftee.

The men were escorted to the train by delegations of Grand Army veterans, Spas in war veterans, Boy Scouts, Liberty clubs and cheering relatives and friends.

NEXT LARGE CALL SEPT. 10.

With the departure of today's quota, ended the present call from Massachusetts. Several minor calls will be met during the month by the local branch.

The next large call from Boston will be the departure September 10 of draftees of grammar school education to schools of technical and advanced training.

Boston institutions, which will receive quotas of such draftees from various parts of the country include Franklin Institute, 161 men.

New Hampshire College, Durham, N. H., will educate 200 such men for service desired by the government.

FURLLOUGHS FOR 1,400

Jews AT CAMP DEVENS

Camp Devens, Sept. 6.—Of 1,500 soldiers of Jewish extraction in this command, furloughs were granted to approximately 1,400, to enable them to return to their homes today to celebrate the Jewish New Year.

Because of military rules and the need of men to perform specific duties in camp, the remainder could not get away. Company commanders will submit a report to divisional headquarters concerning each man. It is understood that men denied furloughs will be granted leave September 15 to observe Yom Kippur (Day of Atonement).

An order issued by the War Department, March 7 dealing with loan sharks operating in national army and national guard camps has been republished for the attention and guidance of all concerned. The order directs attention to loans of Liberty Bonds at rates as high as 10 per cent, being made by loan sharks. The order reads in part:

"Borrowed money should be protected at all hazards against those who either misinform or mislead and take advantage of them, with respect to their government securities. Reliable banks will give market prices for bonds and should then at reasonable rates. Open market quotations for Liberty Bonds carry only a slight discount."

EXPERT GARDENER JOINS CANADIAN ENGINEERS

Edwin A. Butler, who has been in charge of the experimental station at the Hunney Institute, situated at the British and Canadian recruiting station at No. 44 Broadfield street, today for service in the Canadian Engineers. Mr. Butler, who is an expert fruit and flower grower, was brought to Boston from England in 1911 to take charge of the experimental department at the Hunney Institute. Roger J. Harwood of No. 43 Oak street, Somerville, who has been accepted three times before by the British and Canadian recruiting mission and failed to show up for transportation to Canadian training camp, called at the mission today and for the fourth time went through the formality of enlisting.

HARVARD DRAFT EVADER, BULLARD, DIES IN MEXICO

New York, Sept. 6.—Lawrence B. Bullard, twenty-three, former editor of the Illustrating Monthly, at Harvard University, died of typhoid fever at Nogales, Ariz., on August 30. He had spent several months in Mexico. About the time of the draft call he vanished. His father, Edmund C. Bullard, a lawyer of Hingham, Mass., and Mrs. Bullard were accused of covering up his escape. They were acquitted. The father said in court he wanted the boy to enlist, but that he had become a pacifist at college and could not be persuaded to give up his objections to fighting.

WIRELESS PLANT IN BRIDGEPORT SEIZED

Bridgeport, Ct., Sept. 6.—A powerful wireless outfit was seized here by army intelligence officers, following a two-week vigil from the shelter of a courtyard on Sea View avenue. The plant was discovered on the top floor of a house on that avenue and had a sending radius of 150 miles. A youth described himself as Charles Shady, eighteen, a wireless student, was arrested during the raid.

NOTES FOR MEN:

September 12, Registration Day. Every man is urged to spread the information that all males between the ages of 18 and 45, not already registered or in the nation's army or navy, must register on that day.

Peach stones. Men will do a patriotic service by saving them themselves and urging their families to do likewise. 200 peach stones provide enough carbon for a gas mask.

Many men make it a practice to save every quarter that comes their way in change, and by turning them into Thrift Stamps help win the war. It's wonderful the way they pile up!

Men's madras shirts in 3 kinds of blue stripes, \$2

A blue striped shirt is always neat; these are in a good medium blue shade, a good quality of madras, and you have your choice of three striped arrangements. Jacquard weave shirts, \$3, in pink, lavender, blue. Beautiful corded madras shirts, \$2.50; pink, green and blue patterns.

For long wear; mercerized cheviot shirts, \$3.50. New fall neckwear: 65c to \$3.

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Women's New Gray Mocha Gloves—(11 pairs new). A most desirable color for fall wear. \$2.50

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Children's Maco Cotton Stockings—Black, fine Maco, 1/2, 1 1/2, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100. 45c

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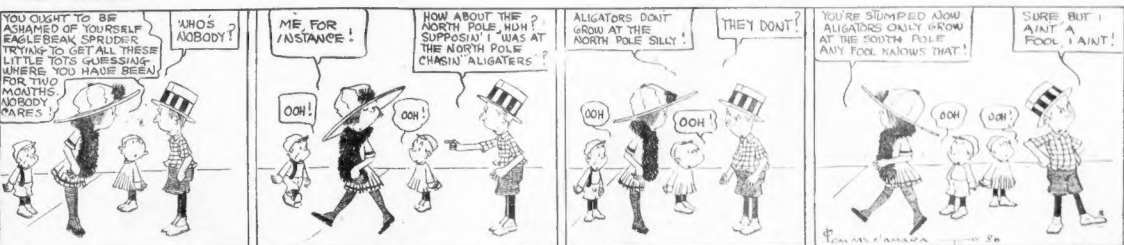
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The Real Significance of the Maine Election

Just why the election in Maine is considered of special importance is rather unaccountable. At the last national campaign both parties made great efforts to carry Maine in the September elections upon the assumption that people generally believe that the vote in Maine indicates the drift of the country, and that thus the vote in Maine would have a great moral effect upon the other States.

This theory concerning the importance of elections in Maine is rather a poor compliment to the intelligence of the American people. Preliminary defeats or preliminary victories do tend to weaken by destroying the confidence of armies; but it is hard to understand the state of mind of a man who allows his belief in the likelihood of the political success of a candidate or in the popularity of an issue to control his opinion of that candidate or that issue.

The voters of the country proved at the last election that they were not as unintelligent as their politicians seem to think them to be when these politicians assume that the Maine elections are so significant. Maine went Republican at the last national election by a large plurality. The Republican politicians, when the Maine vote was counted in September, rejoiced throughout the country, while the Democratic politicians thought they felt a cold blast. Yet, President Wilson was re-elected by one of the largest pluralities ever given to a candidate for President.

When the Republican party captured Maine it is like the Dutch taking Holland—of very little significance—for Maine has been pretty thoroughly Republican ever since the Civil War. But when the Republican Party loses Maine or suffers so great a loss of its normal plurality as to make it a moral defeat, then the Maine election does become significant.

Just what the national Republican politicians, like Senator Lodge of Massachusetts and Senator Sherman of Illinois and the other leaders of the reactionary element of the Republican Party, see in the Wilson Administration warranting an attack upon it at this time as good party politics in Maine, is difficult for a disinterested observer to appreciate.

There is not an honest-minded citizen in the United States, whose intelligence is equal to the expression of any opinion at all, who does not admit to himself that President Wilson and the Democratic administration have risen to tremendous responsibilities with a success beyond comparison with any other government in this great world war. There have been mistakes, of course, but there was never any progress without mistakes. The greater the tasks, the greater the mistakes, since to err is human. But, the batting average of the Wilson Administration has challenged the admiration of the whole Entente world.

Long since, the reactionary interests and the Republican political partisans have ceased their cavilling at Secretary of the Navy Daniels and have admitted what was too obvious to deny, that Josephus Daniels has made a wonderful success of his enormous task. Long since Wall Street and State Street and those who hate President Wilson because he has distributed the burdens of this war for the first time in all history with some consideration for the average man, placing the burdens upon the rich as well as the poor, have ceased openly to attack him on this score. They have long since ceased to attack President Wilson's internal policies or his conduct of our foreign relations because his progressive internal policies were approved by the great plurality which he received at the last election. His leadership in the diplomacy of the Entente world is acknowledged and acclaimed by the foreign statesmen, who, in making the acknowledgment, concede his superior statesmanship. He is today quoted by the English masses with more authority than their own Prime Minister. His disinterestedness in the guardianship of the cause of democracy is one of the great assets which the cause of the Entente has in Russian public opinion.

Deprived of their old issue against Secretary Daniels and of all profits in the old attack against President Wilson's internal and foreign policies, Republican politicians find nothing left but to carp and cavil at the Secretary of War. But since the British Premier proclaims in Parliament that American military organization is "an amazing organization," since Premier Clemenceau declares that our War Department has performed an unparalleled task, since Lord Northcliffe, the British representative here for months, declares that we have accomplished results in magnitude and time unequalled by our Allies, and since the truth is that we have been able to train and transport across 3,000 miles of water within a year and three months since our declaration of war more men than the British were able to transport across twenty-two miles of water in more than two years after her declaration of war, the attacks by the Republican partisan politicians upon the Secretary of War and upon the Wilson Administration seem so childish that it is hard to believe their motive to be patriotic.

Unfair criticism has the tendency to discourage the best of men and unfair criticism may thus become unpatriotic in a time of war, although we concede that the plea of patriotism may be, and often is, very much overworked in this respect.

If the people of Maine intend to make their election in Maine significant, they will either elect the Democratic candidates for Governor and Congress, or they will materially reduce the Republican pluralities.

Once-Overs

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GETTING UP AND GETTING ON

You realize that you are becoming more nervous and more irritable every day, but still you continue to do the things which aggravate your natural tendencies.

Instead of rising at the time you should, you remain in bed till the last moment, leaving barely enough time to eat an improperly massaged meal.

You cannot find your rubbers, your hat is not where you expect to find it, you arouse the nerves of the family, become unstrung yourself, and run for the car or the railway station with hairbreadth escapes to life and limb—with what result?

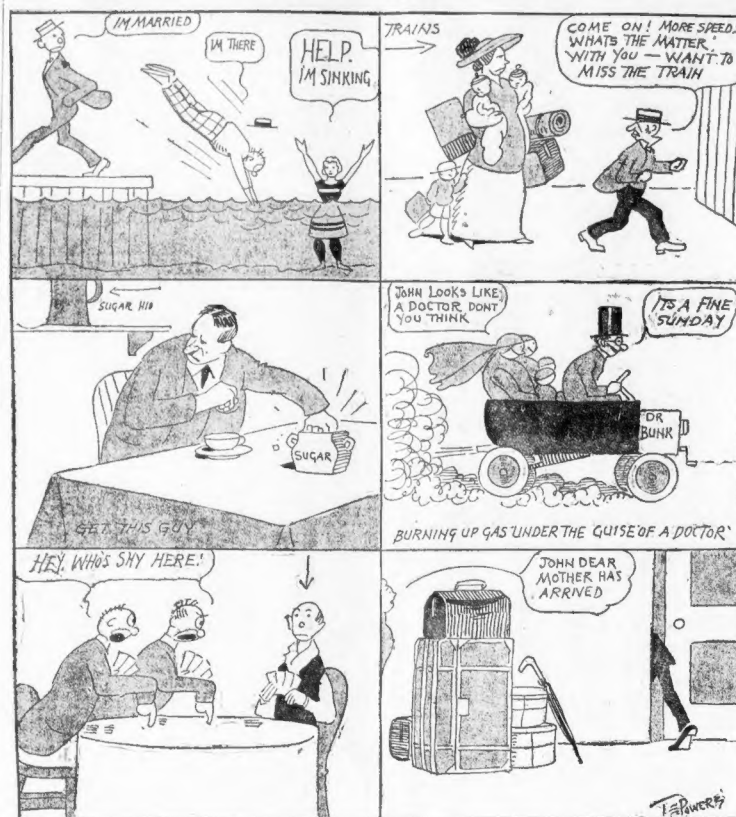
You are angry. Your heart has had in pump too fast. You are tired more or less all day from your rattle dangle start of the morning.

Suppose you had risen half an hour earlier, eaten your breakfast in the proper way, left home in a calm and life enjoying way, departed from your family with a "good-by" wave to each member of it, what then?

The whole day would have been brighter and more cheerful.

Your health and disposition would be one hundred per cent better.

There Are Other Slackers :- By T. E. Powers



"Yankee Bluff"



Mr. Mansfield and His Labor Charge Against Long

The AMERICAN has received the following letter from Frederick W. Mansfield:

Editor Boston AMERICAN:

I have read the editorial in your issue of August 26 in which you intimate that my attack upon Mr. Long's labor record was unfair. You also say in your editorial that you "have now investigated the charge and are prepared to say that it is absolutely without foundation."

Every word that I said about Mr. Long was the truth. Not only that, but it was the whole truth and nothing but the truth. Every charge that I made against him was substantiated by the correspondence which I published in my statement and can be verified by searching the files at the State House.

You say that you have "always had great respect for the gentleman who made this charge against Mr. Long." I made the charge against Mr. Long. I am glad that I have deserved your respect and, of course, I desire to retain it; but I also desire to obtain and keep the respect of your readers, and I cannot allow them to read with the impression that I have been unfair to Mr. Long or to anyone else. Surely you did not mean it when you said "We have now investigated the charge and are prepared to say that it is absolutely without foundation," and that the repudiation of my charges by the women employees of Mr. Long "of course settles the question." It may settle the question for you, but it does not settle it for me nor to the satisfaction of the people of this Commonwealth, who know that Mr. Long violated the statutes that were intended to protect women and children from exploitation.

Permit me to say, too, that you have ventured to make a denial of the truth of actual facts which Mr. Long himself has not dared to make. Indeed, if you will re-read Mr. Wren's letter which you included in your editorial, you will see that even there the charges are admitted to be true.

But you have said that they are absolutely without foundation, which in plain English means that I lied. I demand that you retract this statement and I challenge you to show wherein any charge made by me was in the slightest degree untrue. Of course, in fairness to me, you will give this letter adequate publicity.

FREDERICK W. MANSFIELD.

The AMERICAN did not mean to say that Mr. Mansfield lied, but it did mean to say that the evidence which has so far been produced that Mr. Richard Long was, in the circumstances cited by Mr. Mansfield, guilty of any unfairness to his workmen is without justification. We repeat this again very emphatically.

The AMERICAN will go a step farther and say that the repudiation in Mr. Mansfield's letter of the charge "that Mr. Long violated the statutes that were intended to protect women and children from exploitation," made with the purpose of implying that Mr. Long was guilty of any culpable misconduct toward his workmen, is most unfair. Indeed, it is an abuse of whatever confidence on the part of organized labor that Mr. Mansfield may have acquired.

Nobody ever denied that there was a technical violation of the statute when Mr. Long was suddenly obliged so greatly to increase the size of his plant in order to do the war work required of him by the government. It was purely technical in the sense that the changes in his building to meet the factory laws could not be made as rapidly as the increase in the number of employees occurred, but that there was any intention to violate the law or that Mr. Long was guilty of any willful or careless neglect of duty to his employees there is not one bit of evidence. On the contrary there is overwhelming evidence that his employees were especially well treated and hold him in special regard.

The letter from George H. Wren, president of the State Branch of the American Federation of Labor, ought to settle the question.

If there is any "exploitation" of labor it is Mr. Mansfield who is the exploiter and he appears to be exploiting his relations to organized labor for political purposes just at present.

The Defeat of Lewis

Attorney General Lewis of New York was a candidate for the Republican nomination for Governor. The Hearst newspapers attacked him for his connection with the liquor interests and with the corporations generally. He raised against his opponent, Governor Whitman, a charge that Governor Whitman was friendly to the Hearst newspapers, and conducted his campaign on an anti-Hearst issue. Tuesday he was overwhelmed in the Republican primaries by a vote of more than two to one.

William C. Osborne ran in the Democratic primaries for nomination for Governor on a strictly anti-Hearst ticket. He, too, was overwhelmed by the voters of New York.

The late Mayor Mitchell raised the same issue against the Hearst newspapers in his candidacy last Fall for re-election. He was beaten in the city of New York by a plurality of more than 100,000, the worst defeat ever administered to any man of standing in the city.

Last Fall, also, in Massachusetts the opponents of the Initiative and Referendum raised the anti-Hearst cry. They were roundly defeated by the voters. Presumably this Fall, never learning a lesson, they will raise it again, and we shall welcome the issue once more.

Saw Thousands of Girls Seized

The only Christian Armenian girl to escape at last from the murdering Turks and Kurds and the wicked harems of the Sultan's blood-thirsty officials continues in next Sunday's paper her first detailed story of the wholesale massacres and the seizure of thousands of young women which she witnessed. In the

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